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TAGS: EAID, ZA, IBRD

SUBJECT: IBRD CONSULTATIVE GROUP MEETING ON ZAMBIA IN

PARIS, JUNE 27-29, 1978

1. ADDRESSEES' HOST GOVERNMENTS

HAVE ACCEPTED IBRD INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN SUBJECT MEETING.

2. IN PREPARATION FOR MEETING, DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ADDRESSEE EFFORTS TO SOUND OUT HOST GOVERNMENT INTENTIONS. PLEDGES OF AID WOULD, OF COURSE, BE OF SPECIAL INTEREST, BUT WOULD ALSO LIKE ANY INDICATION OF POSITIONS TAKEN BY OTHER PARTICIPANTS ON SUCH KEY ISSUES AS ZAMBIAN AGRICULTURAL DIVERSIFICATION PLANS, ADEQUACY OF CURRENT ECONOMIC STABILIZATION MEASURES, NEED FOR ADDITIONAL FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND IMPACT ON ZAMBIAN ECONOMY OF POLITICAL AND MILITARY CONFLICTS IN THE REGION.

3. ADDRESSEES ARE AUTHORIZED TO ADVISE HOST GOVERNMENTS THAT DURING PRESIDENT KAUNDA'S STATE VISIT IN MAY, PRESIDENT CARTER PLEDGED APPROXIMATELY \$100 MILLION IN TOTAL BILATERAL AID TO ZAMBIA FOR PERIOD U.S. FISCAL YEARS 1978 THROUGH 1980. U.S. INTENDS NO COMMITMENT IN PARIS BEYOND THIS . AS PRESENTLY CONTEMPLATED,

THIS AID WOULD BE COMPOSED OF HARD CURRENCY LOANS TO FINANCE SPECIFIED IMPORTS AND PL 480 TITLE I CONCESSIONAL SALES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES. US MAY ALSO POSSIBLY

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BECOME INVOLVED IN DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE TO ZAMBIA IN FY 80 OR LATER, BUT IDENTIFICATION AND PLANNING OF SUCH PROJECTS IS IN PRELIMINARY STAGES SO NOTHING DEFINITIVE CAN YET BE SAID. USG HOPES THAT PARIS MEETING WILL BRING IMPROVED COORDINATION OF DONORS' BILATERAL AID PROGRAMS WITH EACH OTHER AND WITH THE MULTILATERAL LENDERS, WITH AN EYE TO MAXIMIZING CONTRIBUTION OF FOREIGN AID TO DIVERSIFICATION AND RECOVERY OF ZAMBIAN ECONOMY.

4. FOR JIDDA: SAG WAS ONLY GOVERNMENT INVITED BY IBRD TO PARTICIPATE WHICH ORIGINALLY DECLINED TO DO SO. WE NOW UNDERSTAND SAUDI DEVELOPMENT FUND WILL ATTEND. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFO ON LEVEL OF SAUDI REPRESENTATION AND SAUDI INTENTIONS RE NEW BILATERAL AID TO ZAMBIA.

5. FOR LONDON: AS YOU ARE AWARE, USG AND HMG HAVE BEEN CLOSELY COORDINATING AID PLANS SINCE BEFORE KAUNDA VISITS TO EACH COUNTRY IN MAY. AT TIME, HMG TOLD US THAT ITS 15 MILLION POUND PLEDGE ANNOUNCED DURING KAUNDA VISIT WOULD BE BASIS OF ITS POSITION AT PARIS MEETING. PLEASE CONFIRM.

6. FOR TOKYO: DURING JUNE 7 MEETING WITH AF DEPUTY  
ASST. SECY HARROP, GAIMUSHO AFRICAN DIVISION DIRECTOR  
HIRASHIMA SEEMED FAVORABLY DISPOSED TOWARD SUGGESTION  
THAT JAPAN SHOULD INCREASE ITS AID TO ZAMBIA. IN PROBING  
GOJ INTENTIONS, WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY REMINDING  
GAIMUSHO OF HIRASHIMA'S RESPONSE AND EXPRESSING STRONG USG  
HOPE THAT ANY SUCH INCREASE MIGHT BE RAISED AT PARIS  
MEETING.

7. REQUEST RESPONSES NO LATER THAN COB 6/21. NEWSOM

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